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1. THE SEVENTH ROUND OF NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE SPANISH AND AMERICAN DELEGATIONS TOOK PLACE IN MADRID FROM JUNE 30 TO JULY 3. AS IS CUSTOMARY, THE SPANISH DELEGATION WAS HEADED BY THE UNDER SECRETARY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, JUAN JOSE ROVIRA, AND THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION BY AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE ROBERT J. MCCLOSKEY.

2. IN ACCORDANCE WITH DECISIONS TAKEN AT THE SIXTH ROUND IN WASHINGTON, THE DELEGATIONS MET IN PLENARY SESSIONS AND IN SEPARATE SESSIONS OF THE STEERING COMMITTEE AND WORKING GROUPS.

3. THE STEERING COMMITTEE, MADE UP OF AMBASADORS MCCLOSKEY
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AND STABLER, MR. PEZZULLO AND ADMIRAL HANNIFIN FOR THE UNITED

STATES, AND MESSRS. ROVIRA AND PERINAT AND GENERAL GUTIERREZ MELLADO FOR SPAIN, CONTINUED TO EXAMINE THE DEFENSE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

4. THE MILITARY COMMITTEE, HEADED BY GENERAL GUTIERREZ MELLADO AND ADMIRAL HANNIFIN, CONTINUED TO STUDY TECHNICAL MATTERS RELATED TO DEFENSE.

5. THE SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL COMMITTEE HELD EXPLORATORY TALKS ON SUBJECT UNDER ITS PURVIEW, ESPECIALLY IN THE FIELDS OF ENERGY--NUCLEAR AND SOLAR--NATURAL RESOURCES, OCEANOGRAPHY, AGRICULTURE, SPACE AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS. REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SPANISH MINISTRIES OF SCIENCE AND EDUCATION, INDUSTRY, AND AGRICULTURE, AND OF THE NUCLEAR ENERGY BOARD, THE SPANISH INSTITUTE OF OCEANOGRAPHY, AND OF SUPERIOR COUNCIL OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH ALSO PARTICIPATED IN THE DISCUSSIONS. FOR SPAIN THE COMMITTEE WAS HEADED BY THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION, MR. LARROQUE. THE COMMITTEE WILL MEET AGAIN DURING THE NEXT ROUND THAT TAKES PLACE IN MADRID.

6. SIMILARLY, THE COMMITTEE THAT STUDIES THE IMPLEMENTATION AGREEMENT TO THE EVENTUAL AGREEMENT MET UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF MESSRS. PERINAT AND BARRINGER. THE SPANISH SIDE PROPOSED A SERIES OF LEGAL TEXTS WHICH THE AMERICAN SIDE WILL STUDY BEFORE THE NEXT ROUND THAT IS TO TAKE PLACE IN WASHINGTON.

7. THE COMMITTEE ON CULTURAL MATTERS, CHAIRED FOR SPAIN BY THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF CULTURAL RELATIONS, MR. MESSIA, MADE ITS FIRST CONTACTS AND WILL CONTINUE IN INTENSIVE SESSIONS IN THE NEXT ROUND THAT TAKES PLACE IN MADRID.

8. IN CONFORMITY WITH THE DECISION TAKEN AT THE LAST ROUND TO ACCELERATE THE PACE OF THE NEGOTIATIONS, THE TWO DELEGATIONS AGREED TO HOLD THE EIGHTH ROUND IN WASHINGTON BEGINNING JULY 21.

9. AMBASSADORS MCCLOSKEY AND STABLER WERE RECEIVED BY FOREIGN MINISTER CORTINA THIS AFTERNOON.
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